

REMARKS

Claims 3, 4, and 6-8 have been canceled. Claims 10-16, and amended claims 1, 2, 5, 9, and 17 are in this application.

Claims 1, 2, 5, and 9-17 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite. Claims 1, 2, 5, and 9-17 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph, as being incomplete for omitting essential structural cooperative relationships of elements.

Independent claims 1, 2, 5, 9, and 17 (from which claims 10-16 depend) have been amended herein. It is respectfully submitted that claims 1, 2, 5, and 9-17 as presented herein satisfy 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the above 112 rejections be withdrawn.

Claims 1, 2, 5, and 9-17 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(e) as being anticipated by U.S. Patent No. 6,856,820 B1 (Kolls).

As previously indicated, each of the independent claims has been amended herein. As a result and as an example, amended independent claim 1 now recites in part the following:

"in which said each electronic appliance includes (i) a receiving device to receive global positioning satellite (GPS) radio waves, (ii) an autonomous navigation unit to obtain travel information of the respective moving body without the use of the GPS radio waves in which the autonomous navigation unit includes a gyro and a speed sensor and in which the travel information is indicative of a speed of the respective moving body and a direction in which the respective moving body is moving, and (iii)

a position measuring unit to receive the GPS radio waves and the travel information and to determine a current position of the respective moving body such that the position measuring unit determines the current position of the respective moving body by use of the travel information when the GPS radio waves are not available." (Emphasis added.)

The features herein added to claim 1 (and claims 2, 5, 9, and 17) are believed to be described in the present application. With regard thereto, and as an example, reference is made to line 21 of page 15 to line 8 of page 16, lines 18-24 of page 19, lines 7-19 of page 21, and Figs. 2-3 of the present application.

It is respectfully submitted that Kolls as applied by the Examiner does not appear to specifically disclose the above identified features of claim 1. That is, and as an example, in explaining the above 102 rejection with regard to claim 1, the Examiner appears to rely on lines 19-21 of column 1, lines 54-56 of column 3, lines 45-59 of column 6, lines 22-64 of column 7, and lines 11-25 of column 32 of Kolls to disclose the navigation unit of claim 1. (See lines 1-7 of page 8 of the present Office Action.) It is respectfully submitted that such portions of Kolls do not appear to disclose "an autonomous navigation unit to obtain travel information of the respective moving body without the use of the GPS radio waves in which the autonomous navigation unit includes a gyro and a speed sensor . . ." as now recited in claim 1. (Emphasis added.)

Additionally, it is respectfully submitted that Kolls as applied by the Examiner does not appear to specifically disclose a position measuring unit that "determines the current position of the respective moving body by use of the travel information when the GPS radio waves are not available" as now

recited in claim 1. (Emphasis added.)

Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the above 102 rejection of claim 1 be withdrawn.

For reasons similar to or somewhat similar to those previously described with regard to claim 1, it is also respectfully requested that the above 102 rejections of amended independent claims 2, 5, 9, and 17 also be withdrawn.

Claims 10-16 are dependent from one of the amended independent claims. Accordingly, it is also respectfully requested that the above 102 rejections of dependent claims 10-16 also be withdrawn for at least the reasons previously described.

As it is believed that all of the rejections set forth in the Official Action have been overcome, favorable reconsideration and allowance are earnestly solicited. If, however, for any reason the Examiner does not believe that such action can be taken at this time, it is respectfully requested that the Examiner telephone applicant's attorney at (908) 654-5000 in order to overcome any additional rejections and/or objections which the Examiner might have.

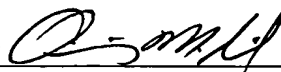
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If there are any additional charges in connection with this requested amendment, the Examiner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 12-1095 therefor.

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